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**MEDIA RELEASE**  
**UNION EXCAVATOR ACCIDENT VICTIM IDENTIFIED**  
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The McHenry County Coroner's Office Monday identified a man who was killed Saturday when a tree fell on the cab of the excavator he was operating in Union, Illinois. Eric Malaker, 57, of Rochelle, Illinois, was pronounced dead at the scene.

The accident occurred on Leech Road in Union. Funeral arrangements are pending.

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